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In re application of

Nobuo NAGAI et al.

Serial No. 09/806,178

Filed June 18, 2001

Examiner – Margaret E. Jamroz

**USE OF COMPOUNDS THAT
REDUCE ALPHA2-ANTIPLASMIN
IN VIVO FOR THE PREPARATION
OF A COMPOSITION FOR THE
TREATMENT OF ISCHEMIC
STROKE**

Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

February 5, 2002

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

BOX AMENDMENT FEE

Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants requests a two-month extension of time in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action. The outstanding Action was mailed on November 5, 2001 and the period set for response was one month, bringing the response to be due on December 5, 2001.

Therefore, a two-month extension of time will bring the response due on February 5, 2001.

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231 on February 5, 2002.

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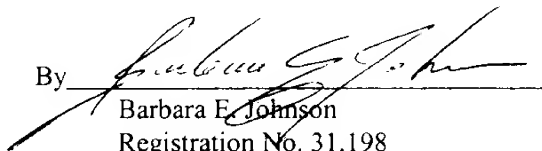
A check in the amount of \$400.00 is enclosed to cover the extension fee. A response to the outstanding Action is filed concurrently herewith.

The Commissioner for Patents is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 23-0650. Please refund any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-0650. One (1) original and two (2) copies of this Petition are enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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